



"Puerto Rico"

Hotel Brinquen
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Hello,

I received your letter yesterday and was glad as always to hear from you. This leaves all here well and anxious to get home, hope this finds all there well and happy.

I've just finished writing Young and he will get it to-night, I would have called him, but the man at the office said it only took a few hours for him to get an air mail letter so I decided on that because I had quite a lot to say. I sent him your address and told him to write you right away. So I hope you can get him. I am glad to hear of Ray signing as I imagine all the fans in Newark are too, with Klay and the rest of the pitching staff, plus our team of last year we should start right off winning. Are Kelle and Dandridge coming back? I heard quite a few more of the fellows have gone to Mexico. I can't see how they can leave the States in these times with war ready to break loose any minute, I can't get home quick enough (smile). Speaking of home, I won't get there until April 14th, these people have extended

the play off to three weeks. The play off got off with a bang, Santurce beating us 2-1 in 13 innings, Ray Brown pitching for Santurce and Byrd for us, we ~~won~~ won the second game 6-1, the hitting on both sides weren't any thing to speak of. This past Sunday, things were reversed, we won the 1st game 4-2, This time Byrd beating Brown, and Santurce won the second game 4-3. This week will tell the story, we play one game on Saturday in San Juan, then next day Sunday, two here in Pagan. The crowds are really good, and they expect a larger one over the week end. And I guess that just about covers every thing, so I will close for this time. Give all my regards.

Sincerely Yours
Lenny